

PLANNING FOR A BIG REVIVAL

Work is already commenced at getting ready for the big union religious revival services to be held in this city beginning the first Sunday in March and lasting until the first Sunday in April, which will be conducted by Evangelist Culpender of Memphis, a nationally famous evangelist. It is hoped to make the meetings the greatest spiritual awakening the community has ever had, according to the leaders of the movement.

A meeting was held last Sunday to plan for the meetings and at that time a committee was named to arrange for the big tabernacle to be erected for the purpose. The committee comprises Messrs. V. B. Hayes, O. R. Salmon, W. S. Archibald, A. B. Davis and R. W. Bell.

AUTO TAGS ARE READY FOR 1923

The Highway Department announces that tags and office organization there are already for issuing automobile license tags for the year 1923 and that applications will be received on January 1. The Department announces that the usual delay in furnishing tags will not occur this year, provided the car owners get their applications in on time. Nearly every bank, notary public and justice of the peace, has application blanks for the new year, the announcement says.

HOW SOME PEOPLE FEEL ABOUT PUBLIC QUESTIONS

Capper's Weekly published by United States Senator Arthur Capper of Kansas, recently conducted a poll among several thousand plain everyday American citizens, as to how they feel on certain public questions.

On the proposed ship subsidy legislation, there were 49,110 for and 84,330 against two against the project to every one against.

On the development of Muscle Shoals by Henry Ford, there were 129,940 yes to only 7,360 against, almost twenty to one in favor of Henry's plan.

On control of strikes and lockouts by law, 108,060 voted yes and 26,660 voted no, more than four to one for it.

On the question should America cancel European debt, there were 6,080 voting yes and 26,660 voting no, almost twenty to one against the idea.

TOMATO VINE 14 FEET LONG BEARS 125 TOMATOES

An example of unusually big tomato production right here in Durant is given the local folks, first from a clipping from a Terre Haute, Indiana newspaper.

The clipping refers to a tomato vine grown by M. H. Canary who lives on Florida street, this city, which was fourteen feet long, and at the time of the reporting of the item had borne 28 ripe tomatoes and still had 97 green ones on the vine, in all 125 tomatoes on one vine. Mr. Canary gave the vine no special cultivation, but watered it occasionally when natural moisture was scarce. He sent his brother in Indiana a photograph of the vine and the drape on its production, which accounts for its publication in the Indiana newspaper.

NO CUT RATE FOR INAUGURAL SHOW

No reduced fares will be granted for national guardsmen and others attending the immense barbecue which will accompany the inauguration of Governor Walton, as the State's Chief Executive in January, it has been announced by the Southwest Passenger Association. It has been previously indicated that probably some concession in rates would be made in view of the greatly increased passenger traffic involved.

The letter declining to cut rates said that the association had had a meeting and discussed the proposal for lower rates. It said that it was not the custom of the railroads to grant reduced rates for gubernatorial inaugurations and that no exception could be made in the present case.

RETURNED FROM TRIP TO THE RIO GRANDE VALLEY

H. L. Cox has returned from a trip of several days to the Rio Grande valley of Texas. While away Mr. Cox made an inspection of that section of Texas as a basis for the making of farm loans by a company in which himself and associates are interested.

Maybe you hadn't thought of it, but it is political quackery that makes lame ducks.

ATTENTION FEEDERS AND SHIPPERS OF CATTLE AND HOGS.

The Fort Worth market beats them all and is the highest market on hogs and fed cattle in the country. Hogs sell every day here 40 to 50c above Oklahoma City and Wichita tops and fed yearlings especially sell higher here than elsewhere. If you have hogs or cattle to ship and want the most money for them, bill them to Daggott-Koon Co., Co. Fort Worth, Texas. We are leaders on this market. For further information, write wire or phone us.

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BARWICK ITEMS

We are having some cold weather and many are killing hogs.

Blanche Cain was visiting in Kemp Saturday night and Sunday.

Raymond and Troy Denton who are attending school at Decatur are home from their Christmas vacation.

Beatrice Collins spent Saturday night and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Boyd Davis.

The boys basketball team went to Mound last Wednesday night and played Mead's first team. They were defeated.

Mildred James spent Saturday night with Blanche Davis.

Platter and Barwick played basketball here Friday evening. The scores were 13 and 4 in favor of Barwick boys and girls a tie of 9 and 9.

Our school is busy this week working on their Christmas program that will be Friday night.

Lillian Glover spent the weekend with home folks in Mead.

Blanche Davis gave a party Saturday night. It was not very well attended on account of the rainy weather. But all who attended had a nice time.

Elmer Vaden of Calera was here Sunday afternoon.

Those who attended church over at Calera Sunday morning were: Mr. George Davis, Misses Blanche and Gladys Davis, Beatrice Collins and Mildred James.

Rev. Stapp who was visiting relatives, preached a very interesting sermon here last Thursday night.

Tuesday at 4 a. m., December 18, 1922 the death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Malcolm, claiming their little son, Billie, age 3. Little Billie has been suffering from tonsillitis for about two weeks. The remains were carried to Dallas.

We will all miss little Billie, but when we think of the beautiful home that Jesus has prepared for them that love him, we are all glad to know that little Billie is safely sleeping in the arms of Jesus for we know that of such is the Kingdom of heaven.

'Tis hard, indeed, to look for the last time upon the face of a loved one, but in the death of a little innocent child, there is joy mingled with grief, pleasure mingled with sadness; for an all-wise creator has said: "Blessed be they who die in the Lord." Weep not dear mother and father for your loss is His eternal gain. Live in the hope that you will meet him on that celestial shore, where the loved ones meet to part no more.

He is safe from ever evil.
Safe from every earthly care.
Beautiful watchful angels,
Guard your lovely treasure there;
He will not miss your voices.
Or your never wearing care.

FROM PRITCHARD

Most everybody killed hogs in this vicinity last week.

Lucile Blalock spent Saturday night with Cora Prentice.

Miss Mary York who is attending the Normal at Durant spent the week-end with her sister, Miss Ola York who is one of the teachers.

Miss Viola Miller spent Sunday with Miss Neoma Pearce.

A. F. Blalock and wife were shopping in Bokchito Saturday.

George Draper and Mr. B. H. Bennett attended the K. K. K. parade in Bokchito Saturday.

Mrs. H. H. Honaker from Durant

spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. T. D. Pearce.

Prof. G. A. Griffin and Cecil Pearce were in Bokchito Saturday.

Miss Cora Prentice spent Sunday with Lucile Blalock.

Mr. J. L. Meadows who has been sick for some time is improving at this writing.

The pie supper that was held Saturday night was a great success, realizing \$18.57 which was well appreciated.

Dr. H. E. Fuston was called to Lee Crowle's for the assistance of his baby.

Mrs. Charles Pierce and children from Robinson spent Saturday night with Mrs. T. D. Pearce.

Miss Ola and Miss Mary York spent Saturday with Miss Bessie Meadows.

ITEMS FROM HALE

D. L. Goode and family and Froman Everett made a business trip to Bennington Saturday.

Cleo and Bernice Dodson are improving which is good news to their friends.

Geo. Vandell and Misses Worthy and Reeves went to Durant Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Goode have purchased a new car.

Mr. G. P. McGowan and family moved near Hunter School house last week. This good family has lived in our community for several years and we regret very much to lose them.

Walter Bertrem who has been quite ill is improving.

Messrs. Haskins, Roy and Elbert Moran and families spent Sunday at G. E. Moffatt's.

Mrs. D. L. Goode, Misses Worthy and Reeves made a business trip to Durant Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Selby and daughter, May were shopping in Boswell Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zollie Vickers spent Sunday with Mrs. Lee Truit, Jr.

Tom Butler and family were Christmas shoppers in Bennington Saturday.

W. E. Dodson returned Saturday night from a week's visit in Dallas and other Texas points.

Mr. Jesse Hughes and family moved into our community Friday we are glad to have them.

Mrs. W. E. Dodson, Mrs. D. L. Goode took Cleo Dodson to Boswell to the doctor Monday morning.

Mrs. Lee Trout, Jr. spent Monday night with her mother.

Mrs. G. E. Adams and son, Van went to Bennington Tuesday.

Geo. Yandell and Lee Trout Jr. went to Durant Monday.

School will dismiss Friday for Christmas holidays.

ITEMS FROM SILO

Sunday School, which has been closed for some time on account of smallpox opened again Sunday.

A singing was given at the home of Mrs. T. J. Harrison, Saturday night.

Maggie and Emile Nicholson spent Sunday with Bonnie and Vernie Breece.

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And while we feel so good we will not forget our friends and the children. When you begin to think of things for presents, think of us, for we have them. We have many different kinds of dolls and toys at almost any price, both Japanese and American-made ones, with the sleepy eyes and with hair.

IN THE GIFT LINE WE SUGGEST

Pocketbooks, Bill cases, Fountain Pens, Eversharp Pencils, Shaving Mirrors, Military Brushes, Smoking Sets, Razor Sets, Cigarette Cases, Smoking Stands, Loose-Leaf Notebooks, Books, Stationery, Parisian Ivory Mirrors, Brushes, Combs, Puff Boxes, Hair Receivers, Manicure Articles, Frames, Glass Baskets, Bibles and Testaments, Footballs, Basketballs, Air Rifles, Baseballs, Gloves, Skates, Doll Buggies, Play Suits, Friction Toys, Artificial Flowers, Rooted Bulbs (Narcissus, Tulips, etc.)

WE HAVE A WONDERFUL LINE OF DOLLS and TOYS

DURANT BOOK STORE

DURANT, OKLAHOMA

Among those who were in Durant Saturday are: Mr. T. J. Harrison, C. D. and Winnie Parish, C. L. James and family, T. J. Breece, J. T. and A. E. Gates, Bonnie Breece and Edith West.

Clara Nicholson and Fred Rhodacker and families visited the former's mother, Mrs. L. C. Seawright Sunday.

Virgie Harrison, who is attending High School at Durant, spent the week-end with home folks.

Edith West spent Saturday night with Bonnie Breece.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Beal and Connie and John Sharp of Blanchard, Okla. are visiting friends and relatives here.

Nina Ladd, Myrtle Young, Jim Beal and Connie Sharp attended the box supper at Starr Friday night.

A singing at the home of Mary Harrison Sunday night. Those who attended had a delightful time.

Eva Messer and Miss Chalmers of Durant were visiting Mary and Virgie Harrison the week-end.

FROM HATCHER SCHOOL

An enjoyable entertainment was given Friday night by Mr. and Mrs. E. U. Fryor, which was well attended.

Mrs. Eula Woods and Anderson Owens, both of whom live here were married Wednesday. We wish them a long and happy life.

Rev. Tucker filled his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday. Mr. Tucker is the pastor of the Baptist church here, and we always enjoy his splendid sermons.

Mrs. A. A. Sorrells returned to her home in Durant after spending several weeks with relatives here.

Miss Margarette Hightower shopped in Caddo Wednesday.

Mrs. Alfred Bryant visited Mrs. A. L. Yandell Sunday.

Mrs. Lake Brewer of Caddo visited relatives here last week.

Hoyle Folsom, Jr. has been very ill but we are glad to say he is some better at present.

The young folks enjoyed a party at the Calhoun home Monday night.

V. L. Yandell made a business trip to Durant Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Duch Seago and little daughter, Ottaloe, dined at the Mayhew home Sunday.

Messrs. Henry Folsom of near Caddo, and Clarence Barker of Texas attended church here Sunday night.

Miss Gladys Yandell was the guest of Miss Ara Allen Sunday.

Ernest McKenney of Warner, Oklahoma, visited relatives here the week-end.

The B. Y. P. U. is progressing nicely here the audience was amazed Sunday night by the splendid pro-

gram, which was rendered by its members.

Misses Vera and Allie Kimes and Myrtle L. Weaver were the guests of Miss Oder and Fairlea Mayhew.

Ray Ross was a Caddo visitor Saturday.

ITEMS FROM UTICA

Dr. and Mrs. D. C. McCalib and Mrs. Ila Haddock were shopping in Durant Thursday.

Mrs. P. R. Fry was operated on at the Sherman hospital Monday. She is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Dillingham, Mr. and Mrs. Will Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wright and Mrs. Senith Wright dined with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Ellis Sunday.

P. R. Fry and daughter, Flora Alvin Lynch and Miss Ada Patterson motored to Sherman Sunday to visit Mrs. Fry.

Dr. and Mrs. D. C. McCalib attended the pie supper at Wolf Creek Saturday night.

Edly Ewing, Boyce Bush, Jim Patton and B. Gather started on a trip

to the mountains Sunday.

Mrs. Edna Ewing visited Mrs. B. Gray Saturday.

Colonel Haddock of Tulsa came Monday to spend Christmas holiday with his brother, Jess.

DE MOLAY TO INITIATE CANDIDATES FRIDAY

The local chapter of the Order of De Molay held a meeting Friday night at which time several candidates received the degrees of the order. The Chapter is growing very rapidly and is one of the strongest in the State.

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White Loaf Cakes, per pound 25c

OTHER THINGS YOU'LL WANT TOO—

Lady Fingers, (a delicious after dinner cookie) Macaroons, Jelly and Marshmallow Rolls, and any other pastry that it takes to make that Christmas Dinner complete, will be found here.

SEND YOUR ORDERS IN NOW TIME IS SHORT

We have in our employ Mr. Earle Hamilton, of Birmingham, Ala. Mr. Hamilton specializes in the making of fine pastry. Should you wish a special pastry made, Mr. Hamilton will give it his personal attention.

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